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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE CITY OF
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
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W. C., V. M. & G. S. P. R. Co. et als.

It is adjudged, ordered and decreed that the said report of Commissioner Armstrong be recommitted to him with instructions to take evidence, inquire into and report upon—

1. The claim asserted by the said George L. Stowart in his petition aforesaid, and the amount due him on account thereof and by whom payable.

2. The claim asserted by said Davis in connection with the 'land bonds' or by any other person in conection therewith, and the amounts due him or them respectively, and by whom and out of what funds the same are physicle.

3. Any other matter that any party may deem pertinent.

Notice of the execution of this decree shall be given by said commissioner through the medium of an advertisement of such notice for thirty days in some newspaper published in the city of Alexandria"—[Extract from decree of September term, 1888.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

ALEXANDRIA, VA., November 19, 1888.

All persons interested in the above decree are hereby notified that I have fixed upon THURSDAY, December 20th, 1888, at my office, No 218 King street, Alexandria, Vs. as the time and place when and where I will proceed to execute the decree aforesaid, at which time and place you are required to estand.

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Civil Service.

commission, says : "Civil service reform is being pushed to an unhealthy development. The introduction of the methods of the civil service commission should be of slow and deliberate mission should be of slow and deliberate growth. The commission is costing the government an immense amount of money—entirely incommensurate with the amount.

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Also the HOUSEHOLD TREASURY for young. entirely incommensurate with the amount of good derived from it. Fully three-fourths of the men now holding office in the federal departments are men who were there in 1888. Is not that a confession Were it not for that fact, Mr. Cleveland would still be president after the 4th of next March, instead of giving up his place to a man who fully recognizes the true status of the civil service, and who will probably fully reward all his friends. I confidently expect that in a few months after the auguration the mass of appointers under the civil service rules will look as if struck by a very cold and windy blizzard. As president of the civil service commission, I can hold out no hope whatever to them. Threefourths of the men in office are those who were there in 1883. Does not this show the vast uselessness of our civil service commission, when it is shown that we have placed on our eligible lies year; fully four fifthe of the number of people holding offices. After being on these lists a year, the eligibles are railroaded to the cemetery as we express it technically, meaning that they are dropped from the eligible list. In order to gain a place there again it is necessary for them to take another examination, thus taking their time and attention from other pursuits. The idea prevails among those who obtain a place on the eligible list, that appointment is sure to follow, and the attention being directed in this one chancel, he necessarily causes an injurious lack of attention to other matters. In this way a great injury is done these people, and they become mallcontents Modeley stops at Cornfield Harbor every trip.
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work as the man who is inside, and why should't be be there? Look at the matter as you may, it only becomes the more and more evident that federal offices will always contique to be given as rewards for party work ers. Here is a sample of the good work the commission is doing. Here is a lady who has regularly occupied a place at the head of the list of eligibles in Pennsylvania; her

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is a hollow, extravagant fraud, and it will PATENT ADJUSTABLE IRON bankrupt the Treasury, if it gets a chance. -Baltimore American.

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